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CENTRAL

TYLER J. RYSKA is now an associate of Rigby Slack Lawrence Pepper + Comerford in Austin.

MICHAEL H. RIPP JR., CINDY L. GROSSMAN, and LAUREN M. FITTE established Ripp Grossman & Fitte at 3420 Executive Center Dr., Ste. G-100, in Austin 78731.

KAYVON RASHIDI is now a partner in Powers Kerr & Rashidi in Austin.

ERIN CHANCELLOR is now chief compliance officer of the Texas Space Commission in Austin.

ASHLEY WILDER is now a partner in Marrs Ellis & Hodge in Austin.

JUSTICE PIERCE is now an attorney with Lincoln-Goldfinch Law in Austin.

ROBYN KATZ, of the city of Austin and St. Mary's University School of Law, received the Brown, Milligan, Rocha Distinguished Public Service Award from the International Municipal Lawyers Association.

JOE JACOBSON is now senior vice president of operations of CS Disco in Austin.

GULF

MATTHEW BOURDA is now an attorney with Jones Murray in Houston.

WES T. SPRAGUE and **AMY L. MITCHELL** are now of counsel to Spencer Fane in Houston.

BANEE PACHUCA is now a partner in Winston & Strawn in Houston.

PAUL J. LEBLANC JR. is now of counsel to Womble Bond Dickinson in Houston.

CINDY DINH, of Sumitomo Corporation of Americas, was named 2024 Rookie of the Year by the Association of Corporate Counsel Houston.

GENE "TONY" WATKINS is now of counsel to Stephens Reed & Armstrong in Houston.

JOHN B. SHELY, M. KATHERINE STRAHAN, JEFFREY D. MIGIT, COURTNEY B. GLASER, BRIAN C. PIDCOCK, CAMERON P. POPE, KELSEY J. HOPE, LAURA M. TRENAMAN, and BRIDGET B. VICK are now partners in Hicks Thomas in Houston.

DAVID M. GUNN, of Beck Redden in Houston, was appointed by Gov. Greg Abbott to serve on the 1st Court of Appeals in Houston.

MAURICE SAYEH is now an attorney with Sorrels Law in Houston.

FROST BROWN TODD relocated to 1100 Louisiana St., Ste. 4300, Houston 77002.

DREW BALDINGER is now a partner in King & Spalding in Houston.

GEORGIA BERTHELOT is now an associate of Baker Donelson in Houston.

KIMBERLEY M. SPURLOCK, of Abraham, Watkins, Nichols, Agosto, Aziz & Stogner in Houston, was accepted into the American Board of Trial Advocates.

JIM RENSIMER is now a partner in the Woodall Law Firm in The Woodlands.

NORTH

WILLIAM H. CHAMBLEE, of Chamblee Ryan in Dallas, was inducted as a fellow of the American Bar Foundation.

E. DAVID COLIGADO is now chief executive officer of Munsch Hardt Kopf & Harr, based in the firm's Dallas office.

WILLIAM L. "TREY" FLOURNOY and **DALLI SEYB** are now attorneys with Merlin Law
Group in Dallas.

JONATHAN FARROKHNIA is now a partner in Bell Nunnally & Martin in Dallas.

AMY L. CASTELL is now of counsel to McGlinchey Stafford in Dallas.

EMILY HAYES is now an attorney with Palmer Law Group in Southlake.

JONATHAN J. BATES, of Kinser & Bates,

received the Sam Emison Memorial Award from the Texas Academy of Family Law Specialists for significant contributions to the practice of family law in Texas.

BILL DAVIS is now a U.S. magistrate judge in Plano.

JORDAN LEU is now a partner in King & Spalding in Dallas.

ADAM SHNIDERMAN is now an associate of Alexander Dubose Jefferson in Dallas.

CARLOS E. ALFEREZ is now an associate of Spencer Fane in Dallas and **ALEX S. ANDERSON** is an associate of the firm in its Plano office.

OUT OF STATE

JEFFREY MEAD is now a member of the adjunct faculty at East Tennessee State University in Johnson City, Tennessee. **TBJ**

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